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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Basiji et al. Attorney Docket No: BIOL0029
Serial No: 09/976,238 Group Art Unit: 1639
Filed: October 12, 2001 Examiner: Tran, My Chau T.
Title: METHODS FOR SYNTHESIZING REPORTER LABELED BEADS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified patent application.

- ☒ 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.
☐ 2. The claim fee has been calculated, as shown below.
☒ 3. Check No. 7178 in the amount of \$210 is enclosed to cover the additional fees shown below.

<u>Computation of Fee For Claims as Amended</u>					
	<u>Claims Remaining after Amendment</u>	<u>Highest Number Previously Paid For</u>	<u>Present Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Additional Fee</u>
Total Claims	19	40	-0-	x \$9	\$-0-
Independent Claims	4	10	-0-	x \$43	-0-
ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$-0-
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE					\$ 210
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					<u>\$ 210</u>

B. Request for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for response to the Final Office Action dated September 17, 2003, set to expire on December 17, 2003, be extended by two (2) months to expire on February 17, 2004. The two-month small entity extension of time fee of \$210.00 is enclosed, as noted above.

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1 C. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

2 Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1940.

3 A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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5 Respectfully submitted,

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